

Re: The lease of Wayne National Forest with intent of fracking

Dear BLM Eastern States Representative,

As a citizen concerned with the environment and our remaining natural resources, I ask that you NOT continue leasing parcels of Wayne National Forest for the purpose of fracking. This is in regards to Parcel # ES-008-03/2017. This also pertains to every single parcel you are destroying for a temporary source of dirty oil. We are exploiting enough fossil fuels in our only national forest, with over 1200 conventional rigs already in place. The process of fracking is extraordinarily detrimental to wildlife, clean air, soil and water. The use of water is excessively wasteful and it has been proven that fracking causes earthquakes. That is evident by the many hardships Ohio has already suffered as a result of fracking in the last 5 years. As a member of the public, I ask you to come to the realization that fracking has NO BUSINESS in our national forest before it is too late and you cannot reverse the damage that has been done.

Thank you for your consideration regarding this manner.



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